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OTTAWA CAMPAIGN - MAY 10 - JUNE 4

# U.J.A. SETS MINIMUM GOAL OF \$252,775. FOR ISRAEL, OVERSEAS RELIEF & HOME NEEDS

#### SHAVUOTH OBSERVED MAY 20 AND 21

Shavuoth, the Feast of Weeks, will be ushered in this year at sundown, Tuesday evening, May 19 and will continue for two days until sundown, Thursday, May 21.

Shavuoth is an ancient holiday which was originally observed as an agricultural festival marking the ending of the wheat harvest. It is therefore known as Hag Hakatzir. It was one of the three pilgrimage festivals when the people went to Jerusalem, this time bringing first fruits of the season as an offering to the Temple. For this reason it is also known as Hag Habikkurim.

A great historical event, the giving of the Ten Commandments on Mount Sinai has become associated traditionally with Shavuoth. For this reason, it is called Zman Matan Toratenu (the time of giving of the Torah).

Shavuoth has meaning for us today in that the ancient ties of the Jew to the soil are again true in Israel and that the Torah was and always will be the strongest thread binding together the Jewish people of the world.

There are special prayers and services for Shavuoth and it is customary to decorate both home and Synagogues with greens for the holiday. Dairy foods are eaten in the home and varied Bikkurim festivities are conducted by groups of all kinds.

Memorial Services for the departed will be recited on the second day of the holiday, Thursday, May 21.

## SPACE AT THE UJA DINNER IS LIMITED!

MAKE YOUR RESERVATIONS RIGHT NOW BY CALLING

David or Nathan Zelikovitz, 3-8443, Arnold Lithwick, 4-4736 or UJA Headquarters, 5-7258.

#### DISTINGUISHED ZIONIST LEADER TO ADDRESS U.J.A. INAUGURAL DINNER



EDWARD E. GELBER

Edward E. Gelber, President of the Zionist Organization of Canada will be the guest speaker at the Inaugural Dinner of the 1953 United Jewish Appeal to be held on Sunday evening, May 10 in the Jewish Community Centre.

A man of many talents, Mr. Gelber is an ordained, but non-practicing rabbi. A member of both the Bar of Ontario and Israel, he practiced law in Israel when he resided there from 1935 to 1939.

He is a member of the Board of Overseers of the Jewish Theological Seminary of America, a governor of the Weizmann Institute of Science and the American Fund for Israel Institutions, a national officer of the Canadian Jewish Congress, and a governor of the Hebrew University.

Mr. Gelber is President of the Associated Hebrew Schools of America, member of the Board of the American Association of Jewish Education, member of the National Hillel Commission, member of the Training Bureau for

Ottawa Jewry will seek to raise a minimum objective of \$252,775 for its 1953 United Jewish Appeal which will be formally inaugurated at a Dinner to be held on Sunday evening, May 10, at 7:00 o'clock in the Jewish Community Centre.

Beneficiary agencies which are included in this years Campaign are as follows:

FOR ISRAEL:

United Israel Appeal, Mizrachi Israel Appeal, Youth Aliyah, Jewish National Fund, American Fund for Israel Institutions, Hebrew University.

For Overseas Relief and Rehabilitation:

Joint Distribution Committee, United Jewish Relief Agencies of Canada, Jewish Immigrant Aid Society, Overseas Mo'Oss Chittim.

FOR LOCAL NEEDS:

Ottawa Talmud Torah, Jewish Community Centre, Ottawa Vaad Ha'Ir, Youth Activities, Camp B'nai B'rith, Hanoar Study and Breakfast Club, Ottawa Hebrew Sunday School, Tel Aviv Tennis Club.

The objective which has been set after careful study by the Budget Committee represents the minimum funds which the various agencies require to carry on their life-saving, rehabilitative and educational programs in 1953.

To achieve the success it merits the Campaign will require the help of many willing hands. Anyone who can spare two hours to assist in the city-wide canvass following the Inaugural Dinner is urged to call Joe Feller, Captain of Teams, 2-9476.

Jewish Communal Service and a National Vice-President of the Keren Hatarbuth.

Mr. Gelber is married to the former Anna David of Israel, a practicing physician in Toronto and noted amateur artist. They have three children.

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#### MRS. MORRIS ZAGERMAN NAMED CHAIRMAN OF LIBRARY COMMITTEE

Bertram I. Loeb, Chairman of the Jewish Community Centre's Adult Program Committee has announced that Mrs. Morris Zagerman has accepted the Chairmanship of the Library Committee. The Committee will be composed of Mrs. Hyman Gould, Mrs. Bertram I. Loeb, Mrs. Morris Zbar and Morris S. Cohen, with Rabbis Simon L. Eckstein, Samuel M. Burstein and Boruch Kravetz acting in an advisory capacity.

Information about the organization and administration of libraries is now being obtained from other libraries, centres and publishing houses, and it is expected that the shelves will be stocked and the room made ready for use by the beginning of September.

In the meantime, anyone interested in assisting in this important Centre activity is urged to contact Mrs. M. Zagerman at 3-9693, or the Centre office, 5-7258.

#### **RELIGIOUS ITEMS TAX FREE**

Readers of the Bulletin will be pleased to learn that Rabbi Samuel M. Burstein assisted the Commissioner of Tariffs in the preparation of an illustrated list of Jewish religious objects, their definitions and uses, which formed the basis for their subsequent reclassification as customs tax free items.

In addition to Scroll Sets, Chanukah Candlesticks, Kiddush Sets, Mezuza Boxes and Havdalah Sets listed in the preceding issue of this Bulletin as duty free, we have been informed that Taleisim and Talis Bags are now dutiable at 10% rather than 27%, and that skull caps of all types are now included under the same category as "caps, berets, etc. of religious orders" with a reduced tariff.

#### ISRAEL'S FIFTH ANNIVERSARY

(Excerpts from the Special Broadcast by Rabbi Simon L. Eckstein over CKOY on Sunday, April 19, 1953 in commemoration of the Fifth Anniversary of the State of Israel)

Surely you see and feel this newness — a new esteem for the very name of Jew; the blue white flag of Israel fluttering proudly in the breeze alongside the banners of the other members of the United Nations, representatives of an Israeli cabinet tour our land, bringing us official greetings from the Holy Land, a free Jewish people standing before the nations of the world with dignity and self respect, the homeless wandering Jew driven from land to land now at home on his ancient ancestral soil where he welcomes his brothers with open arms, a land where the soul of our people will flourish in genuine creativity. Yes, though five years have passed since that historic day when Israel proclaimed its Independence — and yet are we still tinged with emotion and our hearts overflow with prayer. How well fitting indeed are the words of the Psalmist "when the Lord returned our people to Zion we were like dreamers." Oh what a world of meaning in those words of "Israel Independence Day."

Our age is typical of these rapid changes from darkness to light. The struggle between the forces of evil and decency has surely never been as close as it has been during the past world-shaking decade. This is especially true of the Jewish world which was literally shaken to its foundations, seemingly headed for oblivion and then came the swift inexorable process of Jewish redemption.

We Jews who live in Canada have been fated to witness the darkest and the brightest moments in Jewish history. But a few years ago we were helpless spectators of an unrestrained madness which brought agony and death to our people. An enfeebled world blunted by compromise permitted Hitler and his bestial hordes to destroy six million Jews—one third of our people.

Our pleas and protests were in vain. Nothing was left to us but to hope and pray that there might arise from this frightfulness a new Jewish people safe and independent on its own national soil. This week we give thanks that we have been spared to witness the realization of that hope.

There is no parallel in all history of a people rising literally from the ashes of deliberate and calculated mass-extermination to the glory of independence.

And this victory is due to the fact that the Jewish people always had a mathematics of their own. They did not go by the yardstick of history. The word impossible was never found in our dictionary. Where the verdict of human calculation clashed with the Jewish will to live, then with the help of the Almighty we changed the rules and forced history to conform to our own timetable and today, thank G-d we are able to observe with pride, humility and gratitude the creation of a new and glorious chapter in the history of our people, the rebirth of the State of Israel.

What treachery has been perpetrated to thwart us in our efforts. How they have hounded us and tortured us hoping that we would abandon and sacrifice our ideal. There were years in our history when darkness enveloped us and when everything appeared hopless. But the Jewish people is an am kshay oref, a stiff-necked people who could only look straight ahead to a better future stubbornly clinging to its dream of Zion reborn. Our valiant pioneers the chalutzim, despite malaria-infested swamps, despite insuperable obstacles proceeded with ploughshare in one hand and with sword in the other defending themselves against marauders while tenaciously persevering in Binyan Haaretz in ploughing, in planting and in the building of the Holy Land.

We must be conscious that there is much to be done in positive and constructive activity. There is much that each of us must do and can do. There is the challenge of helping Israel to sustain a sound economy. Through the United Jewish Appeal and through the purchase of the Bonds of Israel we will be manifesting our faith in Israel's future whilst identifying ourselves as co-responsible members of our peoples destiny.

## CONFERENCE OF EASTERN CANADIAN BRANCH OF NATIONAL WOMEN'S LEAGUE TO MEET IN OTTAWA MONDAY AND TUESDAY, MAY 5 AND 6

Over one hundred delegates from various parts of Ontario and Quebec will gather in Ottawa this weekend to attend the Conference of the Eastern Canadian Branch of the National Women's League of the United Synagogue of America, to be held at the Agudath Israel Congregation on Monday and Tuesday, May 5 and 6. The theme of the Conference is to be "Sisterhood Growth Through Knowledge and Understanding."

Mrs. Norman Loeb, Conference Chairman has announced that an outstanding program has been arranged for the two day seminar. Although of particular interest to members of the Agudath Israel Sisterhood, members of all Sisterhoods and women's organizations in the community will find the sessions helpful and stimulating and are invited to attend the various workshops and conference proceedings.

The workshops to be led by Mrs. Edward Rubinoff of Vineland, N.J., will include discussions on programming, membership, fund raising, administrative techniques, youth, Judaism in the home and Torah. One of the highlights of the Conference will be a Jewish Home Beautiful display.

The Convention Banquet to be held on Tuesday evening, May 5 will be addressed by Rabbi Judah Nadich, of Brookline, Mass., prominent Rabbi, author and lecturer.

Mrs. Clarence Gross of Montreal will be the guest speaker at the Luncheon to be held on Tuesday, May 6.

Anyone interested in attending any of the meals is asked to contact Mrs. H. Baker, Registration Chairman, PA 2-7191.

The Ottawa Jewish Community extends a hearty welcome to the delegates and wishes them success in all their deliberations.

## ADDITIONS TO LIST OF 1952 U.J.A. CONTRIBUTORS

Due to a printing error, the following names were inadvertently omitted from the alphabetical list of contributors to the 1952 United Jewish Appeal released recently:

Gunner, L.	75.00
Morris, J.	50.00
Ottawa Hebrew Sunday School	18.00
Stark, S.	15.00

#### OUTSTANDING PERSONALITY TO BE DISCUSSION LEADER AT N.W.L. CONFERENCE



MRS. EDWARD G. RUBINOFF

Mrs. Edward G. Rubinoff of Vineland, New Jersey will be the discussion leader at the workshops to be held on May 5 and 6 at the Conference of the Eastern Canadian Branch, National Women's League of the United Synagogue of America.

Mrs. Rubinoff is a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania and was the first Jewish woman to hold the post of President of the Student Government at that school. She has served on the National Youth Commission, the National Executive Committee, the National Executive of the Women's League and on County Boards of Red Cross, Girl Scouts and University Women.

In 1951, Mrs. Rubinoff was elected Life Honorary President of the Southern New Jersey Branch of the National Women's League.

## OTTAWA WOMEN'S ORT TO MARK FIFTH ANNIVERSARY

The Ottawa Region of Women's Canadian ORT will celebrate its Fifth Anniversary at a candlelight ceremony to be held on Tuesday afternoon, May 26 in the Jewish Community Centre.

Further details will be announced shortly.

## WITH THE NATIONAL COUNCIL OF JEWISH WOMEN

## TO PRESENT PLAY ON MENTAL HEALTH

Highlighting Mental Health Week, the Ottawa Section of the National Council of Jewish Women will present the Toronto Theatre Group in a powerful drama entitled "My Name is Legion" on Saturday, May 9, at 8:45 p.m., in the Technical School Auditorium.

Based on Clifford Beer's autobiography "A Mind that Found Itself", "My Name is Legion" tells the story of a man who suffered a severe emotional breakdown, completely recovered and later founded the National Association for Mental Health. A commentary by Dr. John C. Griffin, Director of the Canadian Mental Health Association of Toronto will follow the play.

Tickets are .50 each and may be obtained from Mrs. A. Kassirer, PA 2-3948, Mrs. I. I. Betcherman, PA 2-6747 or Mrs. S. Rosove, 6-4873.

#### **NEW PROJECT INITIATED**

Passover delicacies were distributed by Council this year to all Jewish patients in local hospitals. Mrs. A. Haltrecht was convenor of this new project, assisted by Mrs. J. Barrett, Mrs. J. Gennis, Mrs. L. Marks, Mrs. A. Molot, Miss L. Raport, Mrs. L. Weiner and Mrs. D. Wolochow.

#### **CLOSING LUNCHEON — MAY 19**

Dr. Reva Gerstein of Toronto will be the guest speaker and installing officer at Council's closing luncheon to be held on Tuesday, May 19 in the Jewish Community Centre.

## CLUB 21 TO CARRY ON DURING SUMMER

In response to numerous requests, the members of Club 21 plan to carry on an interesting and enjoyable activity program during the summer months. Arrangements are being made for weekend trips, canoe and photography outings, swimming groups, bicycle hikes, picnics and outdoor games of various types.

Newcomers especially are invited to participate in all activities. For further information contact Archie Taller, Club 21 Chairman at the Centre.

#### TO APPEAR AS GUEST ARTIST AT U.J.A. INAUGURAL DINNER



EDITH GORDON

Edith Gordon, Jewish Centre Lecture Bureau 1951 Auditions Winner and talented recording and stage star will be the guest artist at the Inaugural Dinner of the 1953 United Jewish Appeal to be held on Sunday evening, May 10, in the Jewish Community

Edith Gordon's reviews are peppered with such phrases as "excellent voice" ... "delightful stage presence" ... "extraordinarily beautiful girl" ... "colorful and expressive singing" .... "taste and charm" . . . captivating comedienne."

Up and down the east coast and as far as Cleveland, in such music centres as New York, Washington, Philadelphia, Boston, and other cities, the critics have been unanimous in praise of Edith Gordon's voice and musicianship. But what is just as striking about her notices, and perhaps even more interesting, is that they repeatedly cite her charm and skill as an actress.

Miss Gordon had the leading role in Gian-Carlo Menotti's "The Telephone" on Broadway, has appeared frequently on radio and has done considerable recording work.

In the operetta and musical comedy field, her most recent successes have been Evalina in "Bloomer Girl" at Cape Cod Music Circus and Nadina in the "Chocolate Soldier" with the St. Paul Civic Opera.

#### **CANDLE LIGHTING**

#### (FOR SHABBAT)

Baruch atah Adonai Eloheynu melech ha-olam asher kiddeshanu b'mitzvotav v'tzivanu l'hadlik neir shel Shabbat,

#### (FOR YOM TOV)

Same as above except substitute "Yom Tov" for "Shabbat." The following prayer for "Shabbat." The following prayer is added: Baruch atah Adonai Eloheynu melech ha-olam she-hechi-yanu v'kimanu v'higi-anu lazman hazeh.

#### SCHEDULE

#### (Daylight Saving Time)

May	8	η	7:58	p.m.
May	15		8:06	p.m.
May	19	(Erev Shavuoth)	8:11	p.m.
May	20	(Eve of Shav. II)	8:12	p.m.
May	22		8:14	p.m.
May	29		.8:21	p.m.

#### CONFERENCE OF THE EASTERN CANADIAN BRANCH NATIONAL WOMEN'S LEAGUE OF THE UNITED SYNAGOGUE OF AMERICA

#### PROGRAM

Tuesday, May 5

9:30 A.M. 1. Programme.

Membership.

12:30 P.M. Luncheon - Agudath Israel Auditorium.

2:30 P.M. Mrs. Edward Rubinoff, Moderator.

1. Fund Raising.

2. Administrative Techniques.

7:00 P.M. Banquet — Agudath Israel Auditorium. Rabbi Judah Nadich, Brookline, Mass., Guest Speaker.

#### Wednesday, May 6

10:30 A.M. Judaism in the Home. 1.

Gift Shop.

Sabbath Observance.
 United Synagogue Youth.

5. Jewish Home Beautiful Display.

12:30 P.M. Luncheon - Agudath Israel Auditorium. Mrs. Clarence Gross, Montreal, Guest Speaker.

2:00 P.M. "Torah - The Light Of Judaism."

#### PROMINENT RABBI TO ADDRESS CONFERENCE **BANQUET, MAY 5**



RABBI JUDAH NADICH

Rabbi Judah Nadich of Brookline, Mass., will be the guest speaker at the Banquet of the Eastern Canadian Conference of the National Women's League to be held on Tuesday evening, May 5 in the Agudath Israel Congregation.

A graduate of Johns Hopkins University and the College of the City of New York, Rabbi Nadich was ordained by the Jewish Theological Seminary of America. He holds a Master of Arts degree from Columbia University and is a Master of Hebrew Literature from the Jewish Theological Seminary.

Rabbi Nadich was the first American Jewish Chaplain to be ordered overseas and from 1942 until 1945 served in Ireland, Great Britain, France and Germany. After the first German concentration camps were freed by the Allied armies, General Eisenhower appointed him his personal advisor on Jewish affairs.

On his return to the United States, he toured the country on behalf of the United Jewish Appeal. In 1946, he conducted a survey of the D.P. Camps for the Joint Distribution Committee.

Since 1947, he has been Rabbi of Congregation Kehillath Israel of Brookline, Mass., the largest Conservative Congregation in New England, and is particularly active in the Jewish and general community at large.

He is Past National Chaplain of the Jewish War Veterans of America and Past President of the New England Region of the Rabbinical Assembly of America. Rabbi Nadich contributes to many national magazines and has written a book entitled "The General and the DP's."

#### **CONGREGATIONAL JOTTINGS**

Mrs. Ephraim S. Kolatch of Long Beach, New York will be the guest speaker at the Closing Dinner of the Agudath Achim Sisterhood to be held on Tuesday evening, May 12, at 7:00 o'clock, in the Jewish Community Centre. There will be no tickets sold at the door, and all returns must be in by May 7....

A gala Melava Malka was held by the Chevra Shaas of Congregation Adath Jeshurun on Saturday evening, April 25, in honour of the completion of the Tractate "Sanhedrin." Study of the tractate was commenced two and a half years ago, and classes have been conducted regularly every Saturday afternoon under the able guidance of Rabbi Boruch Kravetz. The Melava Malka was addressed by Rabbi Kravetz, Rev. Joseph Rabin and Mr. S. Edelson. Mr. Max Appel is Gabbi Rishon of the Society . . . .

Congregation B'nai Jacob recently presented a kiddush cup to Mr. M. Friedman in appreciation of his loyal service to the Synagogue . . . .

The Agudath Achim Congregation has concluded a brief but successful season of Sunday morning Minyon and Breakfast activities . . . .

B'nai Zion members have been presented with impressive baseball caps with the compliments of Mr. Alex Betcherman . . . .

A new Chupah and two table covers for the reader's desk have been presented to Congregation B'nai Jacob by Bessie Frumkin, Frank Flesher and Issie Flesher in memory of their mother Kayla Flesher and their sister Hilda Flesher Sadinsky . . . .

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Flesher tendered a kiddush in honour of their daughter Estelle, who has been selected to be one of the Canadian youth representatives who will attend the Coronation ceremonies on June 2. Rabbi Eckstein addressed the gathering and congratulated the Flesher family . . . .

The B'nai Jacob Sisterhood held a Housewarming Tea on Sunday afternoon, May 3 in the newly-renovated Vestry Rooms of the Synagogue . . . .

#### REGISTRATIONS FOR CAMP SHALOM AND CAMP ADVENTURE WILL CLOSE ON MAY 27

Avoid disappointment. Make your arrangements with Samuel I.

Wechsler early.

#### NOTED SPEAKER TO ADDRESS ADATH JESHURUN SISTERHOOD CLOSING LUNCHEON, MAY 13



Mrs. Ephraim S. Kolatch

Mrs. Ephraim S. Kolatch of Long Beach, New York, author, newspaper woman and lecturer will be the guest speaker at the Annual Closing Luncheon of the Adath Jeshurun Sisterhood to be held on Wednesday, May 13, at 12:30 p.m., in the Vestry Rooms of the Synagogue.

Reservations may be made with Mrs. M. R. Freedman, 3-4363 or Mrs. E. Gluck, 5-4204.

Mrs. Kolatch will also address the Closing Dinner of the Agudath Achim Sisterhood to be held on Tuesday evening, May 12 in the Jewish Community Centre.

## JEWISH BOYS SOFTBALL LEAGUE REORGANIZED

Plans have now been completed by the Jewish Boys Softball League for the current season which begins on Tuesday evening, May 26.

The new executive includes Norman Torontow, President, Joe Liff, Secretary and Irving Shapero, Treasurer.

Three teams have entered the league which is affiliated with the Jewish Community Centre. Brookshire Cleaners is coached by Herbert Saslove, Sid Addleman will guide Minute Car Wash and John Craft will be at the helm of Musty's Service Station.

All games will be played on the York St. School diamond beginning at 6:15 p.m. on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings of each week. Softball enthusiasts are urged to come out to encourage and support the teams.

#### B'NAI MITZVAH

Congratulations are extended to:

Mark, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dover, whose Bar-Mitzvah was celebrated on Saturday morning, April 25, 1953 at Congregation Agudath Israel.

Robert Allen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Horlick, whose Bar-Mitzvah was celebrated on Saturday morning, April 11, 1953 at Congregation Agudath Israel.

Harvey, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Max Kaplan, whose Bar-Mitzvah was celebrated on Saturday morning, May 2, 1953 at Congregation Machzikei Hadath.

Daniel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kimmel, whose Bar-Mitzvah was celebrated on Saturday morning, March 28, 1953 at Congregation Machzikei Hadath.

Stanley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Shaffer, whose Bar-Mitzvah was celebrated on Saturday morning, March 7, 1953 at Congregation Agudath Israel.

Donald Michael, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Snow, whose Bar-Mitzvah was celebrated on Saturday morning, May 2, 1953 at Congregation Agudath Israel.

## DAY CAMP PROGRAM EXTENDED TO INCLUDE FOUR AND FIVE YEAR OLDS

Four and five year old children will be accommodated in a special section of the Day Camp this summer according to an announcement by Dr. M. Ralph Berke, Chairman of the Day Camp Committee.

Registration this year will be limited to 25 children, who will be accepted on a first come, first served basis. Proof of age will be required.

The camp will be operated from nine to twelve in the morning from Monday through Friday, for a period of six weeks beginning June 29 and ending August 7. The camp fee is \$25.00 for the six weeks, which includes the medical examination.

Mrs. S. C. Sager will be in charge of the group under the direction of Samuel I. Wechsler. Mrs. Sager has had considerable experience with pupils of the Day School and comes well qualified to lead that age group.

For applications and further details, contact Samuel I. Wechsler at 5-7258 or write to the Jewish Community Centre, 151 Chapel Street.

#### CRADLE ROLL

Baby daughter Patricia Lou (Pincha Libba) born March 14, 1953 in Los Angeles, Calf., to Mr. and Mrs. Eli Baker.

Baby daughter Julia (Yehudith) born April 28, 1953 to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Berger.

Baby son Charles Peter (Chatskel Zvi) born April 18, 1953 to Mr. and Mrs. Alex J. Cohen.

Baby daughter Jane Ann (Ahuva) born April 9, 1953 to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ginsberg.

Baby daughter Sharon (Bathsheva) born April 15, 1953 to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Goldstein.

Baby son Stephen Jeffrey (Yitz-chock) born April 18, 1953 to Mr. and Mrs. John Greenberg (nee Zelda Saslove).

Baby son Stephen Earl (Shimon Yehuda) born April 9, 1953 to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Greenberg.

Baby daughter Barbara Sharon (Bayla Sara) born April 6, 1953 to Mr. and Mrs. Hy Hymes (nee Dorothy Applebaum).

Baby son Warren Barrie (Velvel Berel) born March 27, 1953 to Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Kronick (nee Mildred Beckman).

Baby daughters Audrey (Aida) and Phyllis (Pessie) born April 19, 1953 in Montreal to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lakien (nee Nellie Hyman).

Baby son Gary Palmer (Hershel Pinchas) born April 1, 1953 to Mr. and Mrs. Leon Lipson (nee Toby Palker).

Baby daughter Barbara Ann (Brocho Chana) born April 16, 1953 to Mr. and Mrs. Ben Pomerlan.

Baby son Irving Paul (Yitzchok Pesach) born April 5, 1953 to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Osterer (nee Blanche Betcherman).

Baby son Charles Robin (Chaim) born April 14, 1953 to Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Rose (nee Shirley Robin).

Baby son Jack Irving (Yitzchok Yaakov) born February 20, 1953 to Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Schecter.

Baby son John Barry (Yaakov Berel) born April 18, 1953 to Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Schwartzburg (nee Devora Colle).

Baby son Frederick Barry (Friam Boruch) born April 8, 1953 to Mr. and Mrs. Moses Shainbaum (nee Charlotte Hersch).

Baby daughter Elaine (Etel) born April 11, 1953 to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Sigler.

#### **COMMUNITY CALENDAR OF EVENTS — MAY**

(Unless otherwise noted, functions are held in the Jewish Community Centre)

- May 3 Lag B'Omer. Talmud Torah Lag B'Omer Celebration, 11:00 a.m.
- May 4 Pre-Campaign Dinner Meeting, 1953 United Jewish Appeal, Main Auditorium, 6:30 p.m.
- May 5 Conference of Eastern Canadian Branch, National Women's League of the United Synagogue of America, Cong. Agudath Israel.
  Concert of Israeli Artists sponsored by Men's Zionist Society of Ottawa, Main Auditorium, 8:30 p.m.
  Talmud Torah P.T.A. Monthly Meeting, Social Hall, 8:30 p.m.
  Ottawa Hebrew Benefit Society Regular Meeting, Histadrut Centre, 8:30 p.m.
  Centre Bridge Club Lecture Room, 8:30 p.m.
- May 6 Conference of Eastern Canadian Branch, National Women's League of the United Synagogue of America, Cong. Agudath Israel.
- May 7 Cong. Agudath Achim, Regular Monthly Meeting, Vestry Rooms, 8:30 p.m.
  Ottawa Council of Hadassah, Regular Monthly Meeting, Lecture Room, 8:15 p.m.
- May 10 Inaugural Dinner, 1953 United Jewish Appeal, Main Auditorium, 7:00 p.m.
  The Eternal Light, CKOY, 10:00 p.m.
- May 11 Centre Board of Directors, Monthly Meeting, Board Room, 8:30 p.m. B'nai B'rith Women's Chapter, Monthly Meeting, 2:30 p.m.
- May 12 Agudath Achim Sisterhood Closing Dinner, Social Hall, 6:30 p.m.
  Centre Music Appreciation Group. Music Room, 8:30 p.m.
  Centre Bridge Club, Lecture Room, 8:30 p.m.
- May 13 Adath Jeshurun Sisterhood Closing Luncheon, Vestry Rooms,  $12:30~\mathrm{p.m.}$
- May 14 Worker's Rally and Dinner Meeting, 1953 United Jewish Appeal, Social Hall, 6:30 p.m.
- May 17 Mizrachi Women's Movie Nite, Glebe Theatre, 8:30 p.m.
  The Eternal Light, CKOY, 10:00 p.m.
- May 18 Worker's Rally, Youth Division, United Jewish Appeal, Social Hall, 8:30 p.m.
- May 19 National Council of Jewish Women, Luncheon Meeting, Social Hall, 1:00 p.m.

  Agudath Israel Congregation, Shavuoth Oneg of Dedication and Acceptance.
- May 20 and Shavuoth.
- May 21
  May 24 United Jewish Appeal Youth Division Rally, Junior Games Room. 8:30 p.m.
- 8:30 p.m.
  The Eternal Light, CKOY, 10:00 p.m.
  May 25 Executive Council, Ottawa Vaad Ha'Ir, Regular Monthly Meeting,
- May 25 Executive Council, Ottawa Vaad Ha'lr, Regular Monthly Meeting Board Room, 8:30 p.m.
- May 26 Ottawa Women's ORT, Fifth Anniversary Celebration, Social Hall, 3:00 p.m.
  Centre Music Appreciation Group, Concluding Sesion, Music Room, 8:30 p.m.
  Centre Bridge Club, Lecture Room, 8:30 p.m.
- May 27 Pioneer Women's Organization, Annual Donor Dinner, Histadrut Centre, 6:30 p.m.
  B'nai B'rith Women's Dance, Gatineau Club, 9:00 p.m.
- May 31 Ottawa Women's ORT, Culminating Dinner, Cong. Agudath Israel, 7:00 p.m.
  The Eternal Light, CKOY, 10:00 p.m.

The next issue of the Bulletin will appear on or about May 29.

Deadline for all material is May 18.

#### **MARRIAGES**

Congratulations are extended to:

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Morris (nee Marcia Bernstein) who were married March 12, 1953 in Miami Beach, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. David Torontow (nee Dorothy Agulnik) who were married April 16, 1953 at Congregation B'nai Jacob.

#### **SADNESS**

The community extends its condolences to the families of the late:

David Bilsky Miriam Pearl Cohen Rachael Danoff Eva Epstein Myer Henolis Harry Rose William Schnider Ann Shabinsky

May their memory be a blessing. May the Almighty comfort their loved ones.